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Sir:

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Documents AF, AR, AS, AI and AJ were cited in a European Search Report dated October 5, 2001 for EP01201718. Document AA is the English counterpart of Document AJ1 and Document AR is an English counterpart AI1.

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